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8	UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON	
9	AT TACOMA	
10	ANDREW STRICK,	
11	Plaintiff,	CASE NO. C13-6078 BHS-JRC
12	v.	ORDER DENYING PLAINTIFF'S MOTION TO ADD A DEFENDANT
13	WASHINGTON STATE PATROL,	AND INSTRUCTING PLAINTIFF TO FILE AN AMENDED
14	Defendant.	COMPLAINT
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16	The District Court has referred this 42 U.S.C. § 1983 civil rights action to United States	
17	Magistrate Judge J. Richard Creatura. The Court's authority for the referral is 28 U.S.C. §	
18	636(b)(1)(A) and (B), and Magistrate Judge Rules MJR3 and MJR4.	
19	On January 8, 2014, the Court ordered plaintiff to file an amended complaint (Dkt. 8).	
20	The Court gave plaintiff until February 7, 2014, to file that pleading (Dkt. 8). Plaintiff asked for	
21	an extension (Dkt. 9). The Court granted plaintiff's motion and gave him until March 21, 2014,	
22	to file an amended complaint (Dkt. 10).	
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1 Instead of complying with the Court's order, plaintiff has filed a document he labels 2 "adding a party to suit." (Dkt. 12). Plaintiff gives the Court a name and address with no facts or information about this person or what part this person played in the facts that give rise to this 3 action. Plaintiff's conduct in filing this motion and in failing to file an amended complaint when ordered to do so are unacceptable. The Court denies plaintiff's motion to add a defendant and 5 gives plaintiff a final chance to file an amended complaint as previously outlined in the Court's 6 7 January 8, 2014 order (Dkt. 8). If plaintiff has not filed his amended complaint by July 18, 2014, or the amended 8 complaint does not comply with the Court's January 8, 2014, order the Court will issue the Report and Recommendation to dismiss this action. 10 11 Dated this 17th day of June, 2014. 12 13 J. Richard Creatura United States Magistrate Judge 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24